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CHAPTER 155

SENATE BILL 1131

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 28-1592, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO CIVIL TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS.

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Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona: Section 1. Section 28-1592, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

28-1592. Commencement of action

- A. A civil traffic violation case is commenced by issuance or filing of a uniform traffic complaint as provided in this article.
- B. A civil traffic violation case shall be commenced either AS FOLLOWS:
- 1. IF A CASE IS COMMENCED BY ISSUANCE, IT SHALL BE ISSUED within sixty days of the alleged violation.
 - 2. IF THE CASE IS COMMENCED BY FILING, IT SHALL BE FILED WITHIN SIXTY DAYS OF THE ALLEGED VIOLATION AND SHALL BE SERVED WITHIN NINETY DAYS FROM THE FILING DATE.
 - $\frac{2}{2}$. 3. EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH 4, within one hundred eighty days of the alleged violation if the alleged violation is under investigation in conjunction with a traffic accident.
- 4. WITHIN ONE YEAR OF THE ALLEGED VIOLATION IF THE ALLEGED VIOLATION IS UNDER INVESTIGATION IN CONJUNCTION WITH A TRAFFIC ACCIDENT RESULTING IN DEATH.

APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR MAY 1, 2007.

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